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TRANSMITTAL FOR A NEWLY EXECUTED ORIGINAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) for:

Inventors: Woo-Sup SHIN and Jae-Gyu JEONG For: ETCHING APPARATUS This is a new [X] Utility [] Design [] Plant patent application. 1. 2. The papers enclosed to obtain a filing date are as follows: Pages of Specification including 23 Title Page 1___ Pages of Claims Page of Abstract 3 Sheets of drawings containing 3 Figures The enclosed drawing(s) are photograph(s), and there is also attached a [] PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPH(S) AS DRAWING(S) 3. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney Enclosed and is executed by all inventors. [X] Not Enclosed. [] This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53(f). Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration and paying the filing fees. 4. Language [X] English [] Non-English This application is being filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.52(d) and §608.01 of the MPEP. Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark

Office of the time set for filing the verified English translation and the processing

fee.

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5.	Assignment
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- An assignment of the invention to <u>LG Electronics Inc.</u> and a PTO Form-1595, Recordation Form Cover Sheet, are enclosed. **[X]**
- An assignment will be filed at a later date. []
- Priority foreign applications under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) or §365(b) or PCT international applications under 35 U.S.C. §365(a) designating at least one country other 6. than the U.S.

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[X] Priority of the for	Application No.	Filed
Country	97-9786	March 21, 1997
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Certified copy: [X] is/are attached. [] will follow.

Priority based on provisional application(s) - 35 U.S.C. §119(e) 7.

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Relate Back - 35 U.S.C. §119(e) A.

[]	Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application claims priority of copending provisional application(s)
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Small entity status 8.

A statement claiming small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is [] enclosed.

9. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

	CLAIMS 1	FOR FEE CALCUL	ATION	
	Number Filed	Number Extra	at Rate of	Basic Fee Utility \$790.00 Design \$330.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	18 - 20 =		\$ 22.00 each=	+
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	2 - 3 =		\$ 82.00 each=	+
Multiple dependent claim((s), if any (37 C.F.R.	§1.16(d))	\$270.00	+
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10. Fee Payment

[] Not Enclosed. NO FEE IS BEING PAID BY CHECK OR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT AT THIS TIME.

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[X] Enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$\frac{830.00}{200}\$ representing the filing fee of \$790.00 and an assignment recording fee of \$40.00 is enclosed.

11. [X] Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. §1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).

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[]	Preliminary Amendment
[]	Information Disclosure Statement
[]	Form PTO-1449, documents included
[]	Declaration of Biological Deposit
[]	Submission of "Sequence Listing", computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino
	acid sequence.

Please accord this application an application number and filing date.

Respectfully submitted,

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Additional papers enclosed:

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